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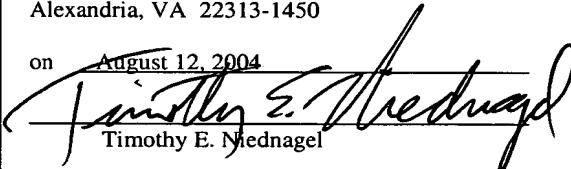
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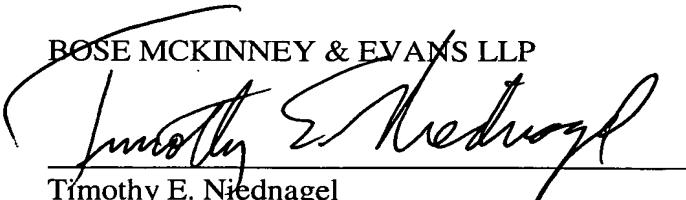
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Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 19, 2004, Applicants hereby elect Group III including claims 22-48.

Respectfully submitted,

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